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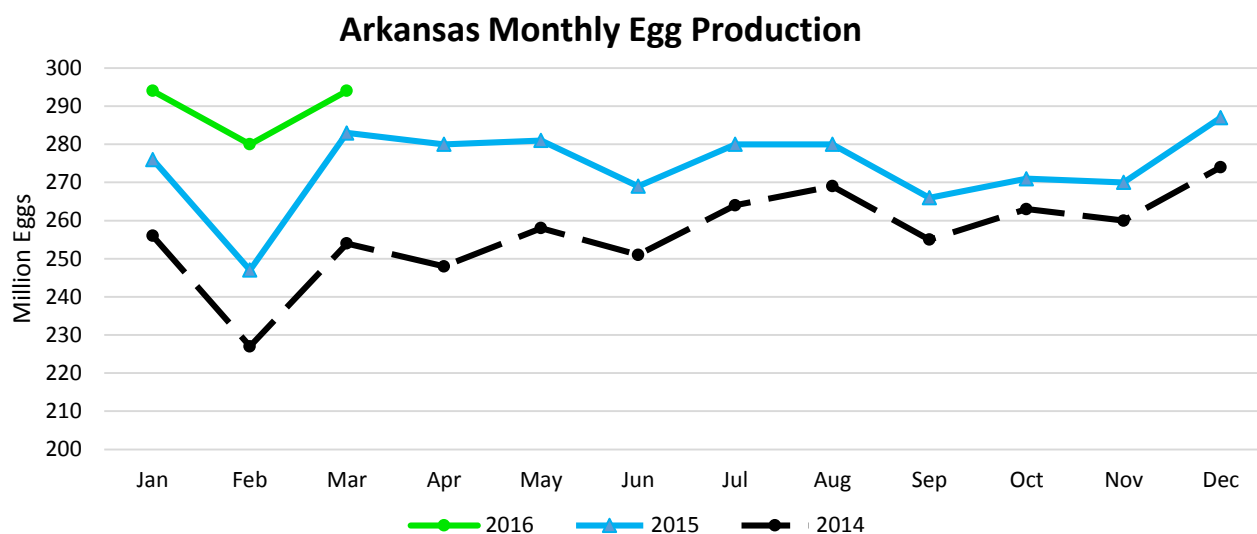


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Arkansas' egg production totaled 294 million eggs during March 2016, up 5 percent from the previous month, and up 3.9 percent from March 2015. Hatchery supply eggs contributed 193 million eggs to total production inventory.



The number of layers during March 2016 averaged 14.1 million, up slightly percent from last month and up 5.4 percent from this time last year. Egg production per 100 layers averaged 2,088 eggs, up 4.9 percent from last month, but down 1.4 percent from a year ago.

